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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
Appl. No. 09/722,495; Filed: November 28, 2000
For: **Analog of Human Basic Fibroblast Growth Factor Mutated at One
or More of the Positions Glutamate 89, Aspartate 101 or Leucine 137**
Inventors: Springer *et al.*
Our Ref: 1503.0220002/JAG/THN

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Fee Transmittal Form (PTO/SB/17);
2. Petition For Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(1);
3. Notice of Appeal From the Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences - Small Entity
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Respectfully submitted,

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1004	750	2004	375	Reissue filing fee	
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1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	410	2252	205	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	930	2253	465	Extension for reply within third month	465.00
1254	1,450	2254	725	Extension for reply within fourth month	
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1401	320	2401	160	Notice of Appeal	160.00
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1403	280	2403	140	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,300	2453	650	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,300	2501	650	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	470	2502	235	Design issue fee	
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